



PARRAMATTA
CITY
COUNCIL



Local Orders Policy 2003– Keeping of Animals (Order 18) Fact Sheet

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1993 SECTION 124

ORDER 18(5) – The keeping of greyhounds

Criteria

5.1 Greyhounds registered with the Greyhound Racing Control Board are not required to be micro-chipped. All other greyhounds must be micro-chipped.

5.2 Greyhounds must be muzzled and be leashed at all times in public places.

5.3 Greyhounds must be kept in a secure, fenced property to prevent escape.

5.4 The number of greyhounds permitted to be kept on any residential property in the Parramatta Local Government Area are as follows:

Greyhounds in excess of 25 kilograms-	maximum 2 dogs
Greyhounds between 11-25 kilograms-	maximum 3 dogs

Note – This section does not include townhouses, units or those properties with a land area of less than 400 square metres, see 5.5.

5.5 The keeping of greyhounds in townhouse and unit developments and properties less than 400 square metres is not permitted.

5.6 Greyhounds must be provided with:

- (a)** Sufficient food drink and clothing;
- (b)** Sufficient exercise;
- (c)** Properly constructed kennels that are adequate in size and kept in a clean and sanitary condition; and
- (d)** Veterinary attention when necessary.

5.7 Greyhound trainers must be registered with the Greyhound Racing Control Board.

